TABLE 1
SUMMARY OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES
OCTOBER 2017

				Percent Ch	ange From
	October 2017	September 2017	October 2016	Prior Month	Prior Year
STATE UC PROGRAM *					
Weeks Compensated	61,331	52,219	58,697	17.4	4.5
Total Unemployment	59,076	50,467	\$56,399	17.1	4.7
Other than Total	2,255	1,752	2,298	28.7	-1.9
Benefits Paid	\$13,504,545	\$11,513,527	\$12,920,084	17.3	4.5
Total Unemployment	13,097,357	11,195,163	12,498,506	17.0	4.8
Other than Total	407,188	318,364	421,578	27.9	-3.4
Average Payment - Total Unemployment	\$221.70	\$221.83	221.61	-0.1	0.0
Beneficiaries	16,276	15,797	18,429	3.0	-11.7
First Payments	3,784	3,272	3,775	15.6	0.2
Final Payments	1,580	1,183	1,499	33.6	5.4
Claims Received - Local Offices					
New	8,117	7,062	8,933	14.9	-9.1
Additional	2,408	1,858	3,111	29.6	-22.6
Continued	21,619	20,287	25,808	6.6	-16.2
Weeks Claimed	71,111	59,708	84,690	19.1	-16.0
Liable Interstate Claims Received					
Initial	616	511	400	20.5	54.0
Weeks Claimed	7,698	6,484	3,387	18.7	127.3
Appeals - Lower and Higher Authority					
Lower Authority - Appeals Received	914	798	938	14.5	-2.6
Lower Authority - Appeal Decisions	1,047	835	940	25.4	11.4
Higher Authority - Appeals Received	181	64	150	182.8	20.7
Higher Authority - Appeal Decisions	77	145	146	-46.9	-47.3
FEDERAL UC PROGRAM (UCFE AND UCX)					
Weeks Compensated	574	528	688	8.7	-16.6
Benefits Paid - Federal Funds	174,957	161,387	198,566	8.4	-10.0
Claims Received - Local Offices	17.1,507	101,007	150,000		110
Initial	100	49	140	104.1	-28.6
Continued	179	163	271	9.8	-33.9
Weeks Claimed	613	525	910	16.8	-32.6
TOTAL STATE AND FEDERAL UC PROGRAMS					
Weeks Compensated	61,905	52,747	59,385	17.4	4.2
Benefits Paid - All Funds	\$13,679,502	\$11,674,914	\$13,118,650	17.2	4.3
Number of First Payments	3,818	3,295	3,816	15.9	0.1
Beneficiaries	16,464	15,996	18,685	2.9	-11.9
Claims Received - Local Offices					
Initial	10,625	8,969	12,184	18.5	-12.8
Continued	21,798	20,450	26,079	6.6	-16.4
Weeks Claimed	71,724	60,233	85,600	19.1	-16.2
Number of Work Days	21	20	20	5.0	5.0

^{*} Includes activity under State Unemployment Compensation Program.

^{**} No activity in prior period or less than 0.1 percent.

^{***} Information not available, reported on quarterly basis.

TABLE 1 (Continued) SUMMARY OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES OCTOBER 2017

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE FINANCIAL DATA							
	January 1 - October						
	2017	2016	Percent Change				
Net Benefits Paid *	\$140,048,321	\$156,695,883	-10.6				
Contributions Received	\$211,613,438	\$229,452,783	-7.8				
	2017	2016					
Funds Available	\$591,628,875	\$544,745,023	8.6				

st Adjusted for cancelled checks.